1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 9 AT TACOMA 10 DIANA M. MARKHAN, C07-5702RBL-KLS CASE NO. 11 Plaintiff, 12 **ORDER** v. 13 MICHAEL J. ASTRUE, Commissioner of Social Security, 14 Defendant. 15 16 17 The Court, having reviewed plaintiff's complaint, the Report and Recommendation of Judge Karen 18 L. Strombom, United States Magistrate Judge, and objections to the report and recommendation, if any, 19 and the remaining record, does hereby find and ORDER: 20 (1) the Court adopts the Report and Recommendation; 21 (2) the ALJ erred in his decision as described in the report; 22 (3) the matter is therefore REVERSED and remanded to the Commissioner for further 23 administrative proceedings; and 24 (4) the Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order to plaintiff's counsel, defendant's counsel 25 and Magistrate Judge Karen L. Strombom. 26 DATED this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of December, 2008. 27 28 RONALD B. LEIGHTON

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE